

**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
CONTRACT APPEALS BOARD**

APPEAL OF: )  
 )  
HUGHES GROUP ARCHITECTS, INC. )  
 ) CAB Nos. D-1564 & D-1568  
Under Contract No. DCAM-15-AE-0050 ) (Consolidated)

**AMENDED SCHEDULING ORDER**

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The Board is in receipt of the parties' March 26, 2021, Joint Proposed Amended Scheduling Order for the consolidated appeals. Upon review of the Joint Proposed Amended Scheduling Order and the entire record herein, the Board hereby issues the following Amended Scheduling Order governing the consolidated appeals:

<u>March 31, 2021:</u>	The District's Complaint shall be filed by this date.
<u>April 30, 2021:</u>	The Appellant's Answer to the Complaint shall be filed by this date.
<u>June 4, 2021:</u>	All written discovery requests shall be issued by this date.
<u>September 23, 2021:</u>	The District's expert designation and report(s) shall be disclosed.
<u>December 10, 2021:</u>	The Appellant's expert designation and report(s) shall be disclosed.
<u>February 17, 2022:</u>	The District's rebuttal expert designation and report(s) shall be disclosed.
<u>May 26, 2022:</u>	All expert and non-expert discovery shall be completed by this date.
<u>July 29, 2022:</u>	The parties shall file all dispositive motions by this date.
<u>September 8, 2022:</u>	Parties shall file a Joint Pretrial Statement with the Board, which should include: (a) a statement of the case for each party, including the factual basis for all amounts being claimed by either party; (b) a statement of the legal issues involved in each party's case; (c) the claims and defenses of each party; (d) stipulations of fact; (e) stipulations as to the admissibility of certain exhibits; (f) the parties'

respective hearing witness lists, with each witness listed in the order of examination, and which shall include a proffer of testimony for each witness to be provided at the hearing and the anticipated duration of their examination; and (g) the parties' respective exhibit lists, which shall identify the witness through which each exhibit will be introduced. The Board shall be given two (2) tabbed, indexed courtesy copies (3-ring binders) of each party's hearing exhibits. The parties shall also provide a CD or USB drive containing the Appeal File and all hearing exhibits.

September 29, 2022: Prehearing conference at the Board, beginning at 11:00 a.m.

October 10, 2022: Hearing on the merits of the claims in the Board courtroom at 10:30 a.m. daily, to conclude no later than October 14, 2022. The District shall provide a court reporter.

The parties are encouraged to pursue settlement throughout these proceedings. Early settlement conserves resources and avoids delays. The Board is available to assist with settlement efforts upon request.

All motions requesting an extension of a deadline, or continuance of a hearing or conference, shall be filed in accordance with Board Rule 124, D.C. Mun. Regs. tit. 27, § 124 (2020). Such motions shall include proposed dates that are mutually agreeable to all counsel or unrepresented parties. This Amended Scheduling Order may be amended only by leave of the Board upon motion properly filed and served.

**SO ORDERED.**

Date: April 5, 2021

/s/ Monica C. Parchment  
MONICA C. PARCHMENT  
Administrative Judge

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